

PARENTS PRAY TO ST. VALENTINE FOR RETURN OF CHILD

Police Unable to Find Any
Trace of Twelve-Year-Old
Minnie Syren.

GONE SINCE MONDAY.

Left Neighbor in Street to Go
to Home, Nearby, and
Disappeared.

All night long the distracted parents of twelve-year-old Minnie Syren prayed that St. Valentine would return their missing child to them on his feast day. Ruddy of face and clad completely in the old-fashioned garb of Finland, whence the Syren family came five months ago, the little girl disappeared last Monday from the neighborhood of her parents' home, No. 38 East Thirty-third street, as mysteriously as if the earth had swallowed her. Not a trace of her has been found.

None of the Syrens can speak English. Through an interpreter, the mother says her child is likely detained in one of the houses of foreigners in the neighborhood. The police have searched many of these flats and dwellings and to-day will make another investigation.

Her deep blue eyes bathed in tears, little Minnie ran to Mrs. Jennie Dunham, of No. 25 East Thirty-third street, last Monday with the right side of her face greatly swollen from a toothache. Mrs. Dunham led the child to the Children's Hospital, where she was told to return at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Dunham stopped to talk with a neighbor almost in front of the child's home.

In Finnish the child said: "I will run to tell mamma that I must wait until this evening and then I will go over to your house with you." Mrs. Dunham said she would wait. The little girl never returned.

Mrs. Syren says her daughter did not reach home. When night fell and Minnie did not return the father, Edward, a marble worker at Thirty-seventh street and First avenue, complained to the police. Detective Blinn has been on the case several days.

\$3,000,000 HOTEL ON AUDITORIUM THEATRE SITE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—It is reasonably certain that the Auditorium Theatre, which Heinrich Conrad once observed was the finest on the American continent, will pass into history after next year. The plans of the directors of the Chicago Auditorium Association are to tear out the theatre, which never has been a profitable investment, and remodel the whole auditorium either for hotel or office purposes.

Tentative plans have been prepared for a remodeled hotel, twenty-two stories high, at an expense of \$3,000,000. Other plans provide for the reconstruction of the hotel into an office building with four additional stories. This is estimated to cost \$500,000.

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Women's & Misses' Separate Skirts
100 Skirts, consisting of Black and Navy Panama Cloth, Black Broadcloth and Mixtures, Value \$10.00

Broadway & 20th St., 5th Ave., 19th St.

MYSTERIOUS FALL OUT OF WINDOW CAUSES AN ARREST

Injured Man Held to Explain
How Neighbor's Goods
Got Into Yard.

John Rellly, a young mechanic and the father of two children, is a prisoner in Harlem Hospital. His right ankle is fractured and the right side of his body is painfully bruised.

Policeman Hargrove, of the East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street station, saw a woman run into a drug store at One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Third avenue at 4 o'clock this morning and inquire excitedly for some liniment, good for a sprained ankle. The policeman followed her into the store and questioned her. She said her husband, John Rellly, had broken his leg.

Hargrove went with her to No. 138 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, and on a bed in a flat on the third floor rear he found Rellly, helpless and suffering. He called an ambulance and sent him to the hospital. Neither Rellly nor his wife could give a straight account of how the injuries from which the man was suffering had been sustained.

In the back yard Hargrove found several sheets and pillow cases. He noted that a window in a flat next door to that occupied by Rellly was open. Then he learned that Rellly had fallen into the yard. Tenants in the house had heard the fall and had heard his wife helping him up stairs.

The flat in which there was an open window, Hargrove learned, was occupied up to Feb. 4 by a Mrs. Bridget McManus who was removed on that date to Bellevue Hospital. She died Feb. 10 and her body had been locked since her departure. The sheets and pillowcases in the yard were identified by friends of Mrs. McManus as part of her property.

On this evidence Hargrove went to the hospital and placed Rellly under arrest.

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TOLD OF SECRET WEDDING BY 'PHONE

Mr. and Mrs. Graff Promptly
Told by Bride's "Folks"
to Come Home.

"Anna and I have been married and we are going to Manhattan to live," said William H. Graff, a newspaper correspondent, over the 'phone to Mrs. Benjamin F. Everitt at her home, No. 25 Washington street, Jamaica, last night.

"No, you are not going to live in Manhattan. You come right home with Anna this instant and give us our blessing," said Mrs. Everitt to her new son-in-law, and so William and Anna—the latter Mrs. Everitt's youngest and handsomest daughter—went to the Everitt home.

The young couple were married in August last, but couldn't pluck up courage to break the news until last night and then only over the telephone.

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The "Queen Quality" Spring styles are here in all their freshness—ready for the Spring days soon to come. "Queen Quality"—best in everything that counts. The 1908 lasts are a revelation in shapeliness and smartness and "Queen Quality" service is proverbial. Ask "Queen Quality" wearers.

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The new diamond tip.
The new tan button Oxfords with oze foxings.
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And the new toes, the new tan shades and all the innovations from the "Queen Quality" workrooms.

"Queen Quality" Boots, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4.
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Final Clearance, giving You Choice of \$15, \$18, \$20 and \$22.50 values at \$12.50

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The Suits (including Kuppenheimer) consist of elegant black thibets, unfinished worsteds, blue serges, fine worsteds, chevots and casimires in almost every conceivable mixture. All sizes from 33 breast to the largest—regular, slim or stout. \$12.50

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Men's \$5, \$6 and \$7 Trousers at \$3

This is the sale that created such buying enthusiasm yesterday. The sale that brought such a crowd of men to our Clothing Section. Sizes for everybody—representing the entire surplus stock of a well-known manufacturer, who has a reputation for high class Trousers, using only the exclusive merchant tailor fabrics.

These are really \$5, \$6 and \$7 Trousers and the quality shows in every pair. The kind you seldom see in any sale. We have arranged to make extra long or extra stout sizes to order at the same price.

Young Men's Suits & Overcoats, \$5

Men's \$1.50 Negligee Shirts, 79c

ONE of the best sales of the year. We're gathering in one lot all of our Negligee Shirts left over from our recent shirt sale, putting in shirts that formerly sold at \$1.25, \$1.50 and even \$2, and marking them all at 79c to make room for our incoming spring line.

Each shirt is made with care, as every shirt with the Simpson-Crawford label has a guarantee of satisfaction.

The materials are woven madras, French percales in a choice assortment of light and dark patterns, in plain or pleated bosoms, attached or detached cuffs, in all sizes; Saturday at..... 79c

Men's 75c and \$1 Neckwear, 39c

Most remarkable offering of high-grade Neckwear ever known in New York. An offer that duplicates the haberdasher's finest 75c and \$1 grades of folded four-in-hands, English squares, French imperials and bat wings in a wide diversity of up-to-date patterns, at the extremely modest price 39c

Clearance of Misses' Suits and Coats

SIX distinct and extraordinary specials ready for you to-morrow, emphasizing our determination to make a quick clearing of our Misses' Suits and Coats, getting ready for incoming Spring goods. Reductions that mark this Saturday Sale as the climax of value-giving.

Misses' Suits made of striped Broadcloth and Panama in medium or Spring weight; a new model, single-breasted, away effect in blue, brown, garnet and black; lined throughout with guaranteed satin. Extra full-pleated skirt trimmed with deep folds; will sell in season at \$22.75. Special at..... \$15

Misses' Caracul Cloth Coats—We have made a great purchase of high grade Caracul Cloth, consequently we can afford to sell garments of excellent value at a very low figure. Seven-eighth length Caracul Cloth Coats, made in the stunning semi-fitted model, lined throughout with warranted satin, also warmly interlined. Value \$24.75 \$12.75 and \$16.50 and \$27.50 at

The entire balance of Girls' high-priced Coats at \$10; all beautiful materials in all handsome shades; many elaborately trimmed, others strictly tailored. Value up to \$24.75.

Girls' moderate priced Coats, made of heavy Cheviot in blue, brown and garnet; lined with tannet; value \$12.75, at..... \$5

'10 Watches at \$5

A Limited Number

ONCE a year we clean up all of our odd foreign watches—gather the extreme pieces, picked up here and there for their striking, novel appearance. Watches in Real Silver, gunmetal, and some Pearl Watches fitted with guaranteed movements. Of course it seems ridiculous to sell these \$10 Watches at \$5, but then that's the way we make quick and decisive clearing of our odd watches.

Notably novel effects in Calendar Watches, indicating each day and month of the year; alarm watches and racing watches for the auto, track and bicycle. While they last, these Watches that sold as high as \$15 at..... \$5

Men's 14k. Gold Waltham Watches—open face—value \$25.50, at... \$14.50

Men's 14k. Gold Waltham Watches—hunting case—actual value \$35, at..... \$22.50

Men's Hose, 19c

25c, 35c and 50c Values

2nd Main Floor.

SPECIAL Saturday sale, embracing some 3,000 pairs of manufacturer's sample Half Hose, comprising cottons and lises in black and colors, stripes, figures and Jacquard effects. They are the travellers' samples of one of our best known European makers. Hose regularly sold at 25c, 35c, 50c, and some even at 75c, will go in this Clean-up Sale 19c at..... (6 pairs for \$1.10)

\$2.50 12 Button Length White Suede Gloves \$1.39

2nd Main Floor.

JUST enough for Saturday's selling, having just received a shipment of these much wanted Gloves from Grenoble, France. On sale Saturday at less than they would cost you in Paris. Now is the time to lay in a season's supply.

White Suede Gloves for elbow sleeves—Mousquetaire 12-button length. \$1.39 \$2.50 values

Men's Gray Glace and Suede Gloves. The most up-to-date color for early Spring wear from one of the best known American makers of high-class Gloves—regular \$1.50 per pair—special.... 98c

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